

Amendments to the specification:

On page 10, please amend the abstract of the disclosure as follows:

Abstract of the Disclosure

An electric hand-held power tool, ~~in particular a power drill or screwdriver, is disclosed, which has~~ includes a chuck (14) for a tool, a drive spindle (13) which drives the chuck (14) and protrudes with a spindle head (131) into a recess (15) embodied in the chuck (14), and a connecting mechanism ~~means~~, operative between the spindle head (131) and the recess (15), for connecting the drive spindle (13) and the chuck (14) in a manner fixed against relative rotation. For achieving a simple and economic connection between the chuck (14) and the drive spindle (13) ~~that is very simple from a production standpoint and hence economical and that assures even in drive spindles with a reversible direction of rotation assures reliable, non-rescindable torque transmission~~ even in drive spindles with a reversible direction of rotation, the connecting ~~means have~~ mechanism has axially extending cutting edges (26) ~~embodied on the spindle head (131) that cut into the wall of the recess (15) when the chuck (14) is being slipped onto the spindle head (131) (Fig. 2).~~